23

Section — Coder
File No — 13-77
Serial No — 1-6

1877

(Education)

File No 13 Sheets 1-6

Abolition of the Office of Curator & Consequent arrangements

Indexed

1

1877.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

EDUCATIONAL

To

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
BY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL

Dated December 22nd
Despatched
Received

No 8350
Edl 15

Sanctions the Budget Estimates of the Mysore Educational Department for 1878—79 with certain modifications

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore Educational Department
22nd December 1877

From the Director of Public Instruction To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore
No 2946 dated Bangalore 29nd November 1877

I have the honor to submit for the Chief Commissioner s orders the Mysore Educational budget estimates for 1878 79

2 The receipts have been estimated at Rs 43 000 and the char es at Rs 2 60 000 against the totals of Rs. 47 000 and Ps 2 68 000 entered under tho e respective heads for the current year

3 The reduced entry under receipts has been made in the item Sale Proceeds of School Books The sum annually obtained from this source proves that the estimate for several years retained unchan ged in the budget was fixed too h h at first and it has been thought desirable therefore to lower it to nearer the actual amount realized.

4 The reductions in disbursements are chiefly based upon actuals The minor items do not call for special explanation. But the followin are the larger amounts reduced

	Rs
Inspection—Provision for a Deputy Inspector and establishment &c not utilized	1 690
Instruction—The charges of the Chikma alur En lish School payable by the Municipality	2 196
Provision for a Normal Master not utilized	720
Revised estimate of scholarships in Normal and En ineerin Schools	1 100
General—The entry for construction of school buildings has been diminished a half	5 000
The total amount of reductions comes to	1? 180

5 A ainst this certain entries involving higher char es have been made to the amount of Rs 4 180 These are the followin —

	Rs
Provision for progressive salaries to Inspectors and Vice Principal of the Central College sanctioned by the Government of India	1 780
Provision for higher pay of Principal Engineering School promoted to Executive Engineer 3rd grade	1 200
Provision for a 2nd Assistant for the Engineerin School under C C O 5068—C 712 of the 21st August—proposition statement for which was submitted with this office No 2096 of 29th Au ust	1 200

6 I may add that provision for the formation of a High School distinct from the Central College on the transfer of the latter to separate premises as proposed last year has been retained in the budget, in the absence of any orders to the contrary

No 8350—Edul 13 dated Bangalore 22nd December 1877

Order thereon —The Chief Commissioner sanctions the Educational Budget Esti mates submitted with the foregoing letter subject to the following modifications

2 The estimate of receipts under the head ' Sale Proceeds of School Books which has been reduced by the Director from Rs 24 000 to Rs 20 000 should still further be reduced to Rs 15,000 as the actuals under this head for 1876—77 are shewn by the Deputy Accountant General to have been only Rs 11 146

3 In addition to the reductions in expenditure proposed in para 4 of the Director s letter which are approved the Chief Commissioner directs that the provision of Rs 5 000 under school buildings and of Rs 600 for enclosing compounds be deferred for the present

4 In reply to a reference made by the Committee appointed to report on public expenditure, the Director proposed the following reductions —

I	Head Master for the Bangalore High School, on the proposed transfer of the Central College to separate premises	Rs 3,000
II	Appointment, as Principal of the Engineering College, an Assistant Engineer, 1st grade, instead of an Executive Engineer, 3rd grade, and postponement of the appointment of 2nd assistant	„ 3,600
III	Curator of the Book Department	„ 2,400
IV	House rent given to Principals of Central College and Engineering School	„ 1,200

5 Items I and III may be struck out of the Budget, and the Director is requested to report whether the present Curator can be provided for elsewhere before the 1st of April next from which date the Curator's Establishment will be transferred to the Director's Office It is not practicable at present to carry out the reductions proposed under items II and IV and the appointment of a 2nd Assistant to the Engineering College cannot be longer delayed, as it is necessary to open the 2nd Class of the lower Division at an early date

6 The increase proposed under the following items is approved

1	Provision for progressive salaries to Inspectors of schools and the Vice Principal of the Central College	1,780
2	Do for higher Pay to the Principal of the Engineering School promoted to Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade	1,200
3	Do for a Second Assistant Master for the School of Engineering	1,200
	Total	4,180

7 The Director's attention is drawn to the orders conveyed in para 6 of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No 9024—18 dated 2nd December 1876 with a request that a proposition statement for the increased salary of the 1st Assistant Master may be forwarded to this office at an early date, for submission to the Government of India

R A COLE,
Offg Secretary

To—The Director of Public Instruction
„ Deputy Accountant General with Budget Estimates

4

Mews

In reply to a reference made by the retrenchment committee the Director of Public Instruction submitted, among others a proposal to abolish the post of Curator of the Government Book Depôt This proposal effected a reduction of Rs 2400 per annum, and in authorising its being struck out from the Budget of 1877-78, the Director was requested to state whether the present Curator could not be provided for elsewhere before the 1st of April 1878, from which date the Curator's establishment will be transferred to the Director's office

Vide paras 4 and 5 of C Conv proceedings No $\frac{8350}{13}$ Dy 22/12/77

D° —— D° ——

2 Mr Rice replied that of the two branches of work

No 4000 Dy 20 March/78 × missing

in the Depot, by sales to the public and furnishing supplies to Schools he would endeavour to have the latter carried out in connection with his Office, accommodation however being made avail = able for the purpose in rooms adjoining his own But the former work, involving the receipt and custody of money, could not be so undertaken He therefore proposed to entrust to the Bangalore Tract and Book Society the sale of Government School Books and other publications, allowing them a discount of 15% on the sale proceeds, the Society to bear all expenses and balance the accounts every month

6

3 As regards the Curator himself the Director saw no way of providing for him in the Educational Departt Being an experienced agnal of good attainments, and possessing a knowledge of the Vernacular he believed Mr Steele (the Curator) would be found of great use in many offices under Govt.

C C pro No 1156/19 dy 28 March 1918 & noted in the file

4 The proposals briefly abstracted in para 2 above were generally approved, and with regard to the Curator it was suggested that if no means could be found of employing him in the Departt the preferable course for Mr Steele to adopt would be to avail himself of the privilege of retiring on a pension which he could do on the abolition of his post

No 318 Dy 4 May 1878

7

5 The Director now reports that having gone minutely over the entire stock of the Book Depot, he is prepared to complete the arrangements rendered necessary by the abolition of the Curators post. He first requests that, as promised, accommodation for the Depot in rooms adjoining made his own office be available

The occurrence of certain vacancies in his office enables him to arrange that a trustworthy person be placed in charge of the Book Department, and he accordingly submits proposals for a re-distribution of work and salaries as follows —

Assistant ~~Rs~~ 100
Manager & Accountant } 70

I am not prepared to state how his accommodation can be provided immediately but ask him to let me ascertain these points. Since 1878 Number 318 a Committee has appointed to report on accommodation in the Public Offices and the whole question of the requirements of other Departments with a view to future changes by abolition of Curators Offices, &c &c, has been held by

Head Writer & Manager Work Depot	50	
Register Clerk	35	
Coorg — " —	30	
Despatching — " —	25	
Account Clerk	20	from Local Funds
Record Keeper	20	from Local Funds
Canarese writer	18	
Gumashta	12	
Asst do	10	
	~~Rs~~ 390	

Mr Rice adds that the monthly allowance for establishment of his office is Rupees 390, but he does not state whether this amount includes the charges for the establishment of the late Curators Office, recently transferred to his own, and which stood as follows

1 Writer ~~Rs~~	25	
1 — do	20	
2 — do @ 15	30	from Local Funds
1 Peon	5	
	~~Rs~~ 80	

The Records of this Office do not furnish complete details

Director No $\frac{2596}{27}$ dy 7-11-64
from Home No 1 dy 7 Jany 1873
— do — 52 - 30th do 1874

5

of the strength of the Estab
Office Establishment to [illegible]
of Mr Rees figures being check

6 The Director finally
solicits direction to the
Curators salary being dis
bursed up to the date
his making over charge
(Date not given)

W Lowry
24/5/78

Process a Memo shewing
the salary of Mr Rees, p
Mr Chantler 24/5/78

7 As directed above
Put up. a Memo has been prepared
shewing the establishment
of the Director's Office – It
will be observed that the
Memo. makes out the Est

10

whereas Mr Rice states it to be only Rs 390 the items are transcribed in juxtaposition to admit of a ready Comparison

Audit Deptt Items		Mr Rices proposals	
1 Assistant Rs	100	1 Assistant Rs	100
1 Manager	60	1 Manager & Accountt	70
1 Accountant	36	1 Head Writer & Manager Book Depot	50
1 Head Writer	35	1 Register Clerk	35
1 Asstt do	24	1 Coory Clerk	30
1 Record Keeper	24	1 Despatcher	25
2 Clerks @ 20 Local Funds	40	1 Asstt Clerk 1 Record Keeper	20 } Paid from Local Funds 20 }
1 Writer	20	1 Canarese Writer	18
1 - do	18	1 Sromashta	12
1 - do	15	1 asst do	10
1 Sromashta	10		
1 asst do	8		
	390	Rs	390

Book Department

1 Translator	60	
1 Copyist	20	
1 - do	10	90
Rs	480	

The present proposals do not apparently include the Book Department the establishment for which is Rs 90 & If this sum be deducted.

the two lists agreed. //

WH
29/5/78 I think we must propose to Cassia after Whitsuntide any departures. Upwards of a dozen reductions of salaries & for immediately the principal officers of Queen's Book Depot offices have been absorbed

[illegible] 29/5

I approve W Rice's proposal on the assumption that the Book Depôt officers are absorbed [illegible] Accountant (d o) hire

Mr i i.

BG

Mr Rice 29/5/80 / 4 Jun 28/5 Enquiry
as to whether this proposal
for Cassia should appear in
Book Department's Return as a
separate establishment - not perceptible
apparently from Estimates or Return
of the Director proposal to
transfer to him the Office of
Queen's Printer approved. The Day will then
be included there in the Queen's
Return 4 3/6

approve BG 6/6

9/
S-79

Letter under
abolition of Penal Code

Mr Rice says that Mr Steele's object in partly to make inquiry after some other employment he intends I presume therefore to retire on his assumption the D S 9 may be told that the Rules prohibit the grant of Furlough under the circumstances (see that Mrs is so before answering it)

WG 8/4

WG
9-4-78

(Sec 32(1) C.L.C.)

1 187 S 012
125-1/2

From The Director of Public Prosecutions

Section — Secretary to Chief Commissioner
File No — General Department
Serial No —

Dated 30 — 1 — Oct 1878
Despatched
Recd 2 — Sept — 1878

ENCLOSURES NO

General No 8 } 187 — 78
No

Recommends Mr Steele for 3 months, furlough leave — — — — — —

8 the same to 9/2 8 11 Nov 78
1 38

I am by direction Whether Furlough can be granted to Mr Steele pursuant to application made in paper 4 of C.C. Order 57 28 March last & letter of permission taking Furlough be withheld & until he does not prosecute Attorney-

It will be necessary to inform him Furlough cannot be granted, if Mr Steele does not prosecute & that he will be

No 8 2

Office of the Director of Public Instructi
Bangalore, 30th March 1878

From

The Director of Public Instruction

To

The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner

Sir,

Referring to para 4 of Chief Commrs Order No 11565 (wrong 6 19) of the 28th instant, I have the honour to state that Mr Steele, Curator of the Central Book Depôt, whose appointment is now to be abolished, requests that he may be granted privilege leave for 3 months from the time he makes over charge of the Depot, to enable him to recruit his health and make inquiries after some other employment Mr Steele has had no leave, beyond two or three days casual leave at different times, since joining the Depot four years ago, and under the circumstances in which he is now placed, I would recommend his request to the Chief Commissioners favourable consideration.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

Director of Public Instruction

BB

3
5 79 4/1878 B

1878 3

3

From

To Colonial Secretary of Port Louis

Secti n
File No
Ser l o

13-77

Dated Mauritius 11 April 1878

Despatch d 12th do

Received

Enclosures No

General No 192
Local No 38

Gov Orfila Mr Dated 30th March 1878 Recommending a grant of 3 months privilege leave to the Inr State, Curator Central Bank Dept.

In reply state that under Section 32 (1) of the Civil Leave Code, the leave applied for cannot be granted, as presumed by the Administration of the first Inr State shall not be presumed, from which circumstance which humiliation of the opportunity to return on pension

[illegible]

9/4/78

Secretary

OBOK
11/4/78

4-

1/E 32

1/4 1878 0514

From The Director of Public Instruction Mysore

To

Secretary to Chief Commissioner
General Department

Secn —
File o — 13-77
Serial N —
Dated 4 May 1878
De patched
Received 6/5

ENCLOSURES NO

General No 318 } 1878—79
No

Submitting certain proposals consequent on the abolition of the Bangalore depot

To the Home A 20th April 1878
R No 943 of 3/5

No 318 5

Office of the Director of Public Instruction
Bangalore 4th May 1878

From

The Director of Public Instruction
Mysore and Coorg

To

The Secretary to the
Chief Commissioner of Mysore

Sir,

Referring to Chief Commissioner's Order No 1565-619 of the 28th March, I have the honor to report that I have gone minutely over the entire stock of the Book Depot and am prepared to complete the arrangements rendered necessary by the abolition of the office of Curator, and by the work of supplying the schools being attached to my Office

2. I have first to request that in accordance with para 3 of the above order accommodation for the Book Depot in rooms adjoining mine may now be made available It is also necessary to place a trustworthy person in charge of the Book Department and this the occurrence of certain vacancies in my Office enables me to arrange

for in an economical manner by a redistribu-
-tion of work and salaries

3. The monthly allowance for establishment of the Directors Office is Rs 390, and after going over the list of duties to be performed by each hand I have drawn up the following revised list, for which I would solicit the sanction of the Chief Commissioner

Assistant	100	
Manager & Accountant	70	
Head Writer & manager Book Depot	50	
Register Clerk	35	
Coorg	30	
Despatching	25	
Account	20	Paid from Local Funds
Record Keeper	20	Paid from Local Funds
Canarese Writer	18	
Gumasta	12	
Assistant Gumasta	10	
	Rs 390.	

4 I have also to request that the Curators salary may be sanctioned to the date of his making over charge

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

Director of Public Instruction
Mysore & Coorg

9
E 32

1878 22

From 7

To Dir of Pub Instruction
& Acct General

Fl No 13-77

Dated 4th June

Despatched 18

Received

Enclosures No. —

General No 2004
& No 5

Approving of the Directors proposals for the removal of this Office Establishment without any increase of Cost to the State

Ref to Sec's letter of 28th ult

9/

8

Proceedings of the C C Regs
Jun
Section
1878
Road File No 13-77
Letter No 318 & 443
dd 4 and 17 Jun 1878
respectively from the Secr
of Pub Instruction -

General N. 2004
8 5

Dated 17th June 1878

Present Establt Proposed Rs
1 Asst 100 — 1 Assistant 100 —
1 Manager 60 — 1 Manager
1 Accts 36 — 1 Accountant 70 —
1 Head Clerk 35 — 1 Head Clerk
1 Asst 8 24 — and Quarter
Book Keeper 50 —
1 Peon } 24 — 1 Peon
Peshkar }
2 Clerks @ Clerk 35 —
Cashier } 40 — Clerk 30 —
Cashier 25 —
1 Clerk 20 — Head Clerk
1 — 8 — 18 — and Cashier
1 — 8 — 15 — Cashier
1 Jemadar 10 — and Weighman 20 —
1 Asst 8 — 8 — 1 Cavasse
1 Clerk 18 —
1 Jemadar 12 —
1 Asst 8 10 —
Peshs 350 — Rupees 390 —

? The Captain also appears to have reported the presence of the Treasurer, Mr Beverley, each of the books in the Depôt as were liable to be examined by him at any sale for the season. Captain Wilkes Rec

Order The proposals submitted by the Secr of Pub Instruction for the revision of the Establishment of the Quarantine Station, noted in the margin, be sanctioned, with the exception of the Cashier, whose appointment must be left to the Commrs of Quarantine, and the Clerk to remain as at present.

The Cashier, Boatbuilder, must be left to the approval of the Commrs, and the Revenue Board is requested to be good enough to issue the same to them

Clerk to submit Quarterly Returns

In regard to the Books referred to, the Cost of which is estimated at Rupees 416 as the undermentioned and

Rupees

From

To

Dated

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No

General No
No

Reference 7086 ch Schedule Book, the Director is authorised to dispose of them in the usual public manner, the result of the sale being reported to this Office in due Course

The Ch Commr sanctions the Curator's Salary being drawn up to the date of this making one change of the Book Keeper & date of Share Certificate

Dr Rees

Letters of the Consols and accurate manner in which the Stock, Rec & Cash Accounts of the Bank have been kept by the Clerks

[illegible]

Secretary

Asst Secy of Pub Instn

Dy Asst Genl

Reference

Letter No 4438/17th May 78 from Director of Public Instruction.

1878 10 04425

E 31

From The Director of Public Instruction

To Secretary to Chief Commissioner
General Department

Dated 2nd July 78

Despatched

Received 5 July 78

Section — 10 — 13-77

ENCLOSURES NO

General No 943 } 1878 —79
No

Soliciting that the letter containing
revised arrangement in his office
may have effect from the 1st May

Respectfully submitted
to Hon'ble Member
Secretary Mr. Clerk
9/7 by
I have no objection
to the proposal as the
cost of the Assistant
Salt is Rs. 1200 Annum
1878 Asst Sec
9 July

10/7
Chief Secretary
to Chief Secretary
Mr. 12/7/78

Office of the Director of Public Instruction
Bangalore, 3 July 1878.

11

From,

The Director of Public Instruction
Mysore

To, The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner
of Mysore

Sir,

Referring to my letter No 318 of the 14th May last submitting certain proposals for the re-arrangement of my office establishment, sanction for which was conveyed in C. C. P. No 2081 - E 5 of the 17th June, I have the honour to request that the same may have effect from the 1st of May, the funds for the purpose being fully available and not otherwise utilized

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

[signature]
Director of Public Instruction.

1/
E 31

1878 34.

From [illegible]

To Superintendent of Public Instruction Bangalore

Section

F No

13/77

Dated Bangalore 13th July

Despatched —— " ——

Received

Enclosures No "

General No 2854

E No 7

Director

Govt letter No 943 dy 5th July 1878, regarding that the re-arrangement of the Office Establishment sanctioned in GO No 2004/3 817 Jun 1878 should have effect from the 1st of May 1878

Sanctioned

By order

[illegible] 12/7

Secretary

MM 12/7/78

No 2855

P 243

Superintendent of Public Instruction

15/7/78

1878

(Education)

Feb 20

28

Memorial presented by the Abolition
Society of Philadelphia